IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Van Damme et al.

Application No. Unassigned

Filed: July 2, 2003

POSITIVE-WORKING LITHOGRAPHIC

PRINTING PLATE PRECURSOR

Art Unit: Unassigned

Examiner: Unassigned

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Patent Application Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

For:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.